THURMAN MARRIED YOUNG OHIO WOMAN

New Developments in the Sensational Norfolk Trunk Murder Case.

WAS AFTER HIS WIFE'S MONEY

Treated Her Cruelly and Probably is Guilty of Additional Crimes.

(By Associated Press.) NORFOLK, VA., February 10.—Chief-of-Police Boush obtained further information of Lee C. Thurman this morning from East Liverpool, O.: Born in Kentucky, and of excellent family, Leo Thurman, the alleged murderer of

falter P. Dolsen, in the Norfolk, Va., nurder case, while living in this time ago, always appeared the attributes of a gentleman by his courteous treatment of customers at the stores of readdleston Bros. and George Viney, in this city, he made friends of all them. That he had been connected with a number of forgeries and ful practices was known only to a few and when it was announced that he had recally committed a murder for only \$300, his acquaintances in East Liverpool

hardly believe it.

"It is the opinion of the East Liverpool police department that Thurman
has not left the United States and that
he may return to this city, were it not
for the fact that he knows that there ople here ready to have him ar passing worthless checks, the feel certain that he would appear If he is in the United States, it certain that he will be under arrest before many days have passed.

After Wife's Money. "Thurman is a married man, his wife's aiden name being Mary Applegate, She now suing him for a divorce on the round of cruelty. He married her for er money, she being the daughter of aid, and when he was in East Liver-

Thurman has two aunts in this city they are both willing to do every on the streets he would always turn quickly if approached from behind by is believed that Thurman has been guilty of other serious offences before coming to East Liverpool.

JEFFERSON CONTRACT.

Richmond Firm to Furnish the

Electric Equipment.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., February 10.—The
Electric Construction Company of Virginia, of Richmond, were to-day awarded, the contract for all electric work, generators, switchboards and equipment for the new Hotel Jefferson, at Richmond, There was the strongest kind of competition, and the Richmond contractor was selected from the list of bidders, hich included a number of the leading auditorium building adjoining the Jeffer-

the Electrical Construction Company Virginia, promptly executed the ne-sary contracts and left Norfolk for

ASHORE ON A REEF.

Vessel Jettisoned Her Cargo and Put Off Without Assistance.

Put Off Without Assistance.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., February 10.—The
British steamship Harry Wadsworth.
Captain Leonard, which put in here for
coal, was surveyed and sent to Newport
News for repairs. She was leaking as
the result of being ashore on a reef off
the coast of Fiorida on February 2d,
where she jettisoned 200 tons of cargo and
got off without assistance.
She is a tank vessel and is engaged in
carrying crude petroleum from Port Arthur. Texas, to Birkenhead, England,
but recently she has been following the
British warships, which are fitted for
burning oil as fuel. She is fitted with
flexible hose, through which she forces
the oil into the hold of the ships while at
aca.

ELOPED TO WASHINGTON

Young Couple Start On Bridal Mission Before Daybreak.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HARRISONBURG, VA., February 10.—
Mr. Ernest Alder and Miss Nora Keysner,
both of Linville, in Rockingham county,
eloped to Washington yesterday morning
and were married in the capital city. The and were married in the capital city. The couple live some distance from a railroad station, and they started for the depot long before daylight and before the young lady's parents were aware of their daughter's departure. With the **assistance of a Southern Railway flagman, they secured the license and a minister, by whom the knot was tied.

Mr. and Mrs. Alder returned home the same evening and received parental forgiveness.

Quarrel Over Pair Shoes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., February 19.—Henry Hill, an old negro man, whose skull was featured by another negro with a piece of scantling, died at St. Vincent's, Hospital last night. His assainant is unknown and has not been apprehended. Hill has been unconscious, and nothing is known except that they quarried over a pair of shoes. The fight happened at Moncy Point, in Norfolk county.



Railroad Watches.

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TWO MORE KILLED: TWO MORE INJURDD

Lumber Train Runs Away On Steep Incline With Fatal Results.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BIG STONE GAP, VA., February 10 .-Charles Ellis and Will Buckles wer killed and John Edens and J. M. Hill seriously injured by an accident at the in Scott county, last night.

mit, in Scott county, last night.

The lumber from this plant is hauled The train did not leave the track, but

The train did not leave the track, but stopped two miles below.

Mr. Ellis has two brothers and one sister, who reside here, where the funera will take place to-morrow, under the auspices of the Odd-Fellows.

KILLED BY FIST BLOW.

Murderer of Old Man Acquitted of Crime at Preliminary Trial.

of Crimic at Freimmary Trial.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATHAM, VA., February 10.—James
Tankersley was killed by John P. Littles
near Peytonsburg, Pittsylvania county,
Tuesday. Tankersley was nearly eighty
years old, and had served a term in the
penitentiary for cutting his son. Tankersley and Little became involved in a
row. Tankersley dying from a fist blow

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

Gun Goes Off On Boy's Shoulder, Striking Another in Breast.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) SUFFOLK, VA., February 16.—George teid, colored, age eighteen years, last year-old Tommy Wilroy, white, near Driver. The boys were out shooting birds and the white boy killed one, which was picked up by Reid, who started on we-hind Wilroy. When they were about four feet apart Wilroy's gun, which was on his shoulder, went off, the entire charge

PROTECT EDIBLE FISH

Board of Trade and Business Men of Norfolk Adopt Resolutions. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, VA., February 10 -T% egislative committee of the Board of Trade and Business Men's Association has adopted resolutions calling upon the Legislature to investigate the conditions under which edible fish are being caught steps to protect the supply, that now appears to be rapidly diminishing. The resolutions call upon the General Assembly to appoint a committee to look into the matter of nots and the operations of the menhaden fishermen.

The reference is that the menhades The statement is that the menhader fishermen catch edible fish to be converted into oil and fertilizer.

28 APPLICANTS.

Boston Nationals and Baltimoreans to Play in Norfolk.

· (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., February 10.—There re twenty-eight applicants for positions on the Norfolk base-ball team this year in the State League. This does not in clude the local players, who will also The team will repor try for the team.

iry for the team. The team will report for practice April 1st.

The Boston National League will play two games in Norfolk April 4th and 5th. Baltimore will play two games later in the month. The games with the Provi-dence team have been called off.

Ready to Defend Case.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch,)
WINCHESTER, VA., February 10.—
Ewell Rose, the former Warren county
man, who was convicted and fined for
selling liquor illegally, and who was declared a fugitive from justice by the Virginia Supreme Court, was in Winchester
to-day, and declared that while he may
have been technically a fugitive, he had no intention of escaping. He said the officers knew he was in the liquor Susiness at Hagerstown, Md., and that he was now ready to defend his case before the Supreme Court.

Winchester Wants Sewers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch WINCHESTER, VA. February lity Solicitor Williams to-day forw WINGHESTER, VA., February 10.— City Solicitor Williams to-day forwarded for passage by the Legislature, a bill suthorizing the city of Winchester to vote on the question of issuing bonds for an extensive system of sewers.

MISS PITZER

announces that 115 East Franklin Street has had handsome additions—steam heated and lighted by electricity. Ele-gant dining-room; will entertain perma-nent or transient guests.

SHOOK HIS SHOES GOVERNMENT WAS CIRCUIT COURT AND MADE ESCAPE

White Man Fired Into Negroe's Body Without Any Apparent Reason.

SOLICTOR RANDALL ACQUITED

ollier's Man Says Washington Office Caused Arrest Because of Hard Feelings.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., February 10.—
F. J. Hartsfield, a young white man, sent on to the Circuit Court by a magistrate in Prince George county for shooting a negro. Nell Turner, at Newville, escaped from Constable Wods while being taken to talk in a bases. The escaped from Constable Wods while being taken to jail in a buggy. The prisoner pulled his feet from his boots, around which a rope had been tied, Jumped from the buggy and ran off in his bare feet. Sheriff Boisseau was notiffed, and set to work to recapture the fugitive, but at last reports he was still at large. Hartsfield fired a load of buckshot into Turner's shoulder a few days ago, apparently without any reason whatever, and it is understood that he says was very drunk at the time. Turner

George Randall, a solicitor for Collier's Weekly, was honorably acquitted of the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Randall collected seven dollars from a Petersburg man, and was arrested in Norfolk and brought to this city last night, charged with collecting the money without any authority. He had forwarded a cheek for the money. of ill-feeling. Randall is considering bringing suit against the Washington manager for false arrest and defama-

TWELVE HUNDRED VOTERS.
An agregate of about twelve hundred voters, white and colored, Democrats dermen, half of the city Legislature, are eteran soldiers who have not paid the

The Council's proposed amendment to the city's charter providing that all municipal officers, not elected by popular vote, be chosen for a term of four years, will be presented to the State Legisla-ture as soon as the Board of Aldermen concurs in the Council's resolution, which directs the city attorney to prepare a bill providing such an amend-ment, and requests the city's State senator and delegates to secure its passage. The proposed change will place the elec-tion of minor mulcipal officials under control of a commission entirely inde-Aldermen, and will require less frequen

tertained last evening by Sir Knight D'Arcy Adams at his home on High

Street.

CAPTURED IN PHILADELPHIA.

After eluding arrest for six years.

Tinker Ruffin, the megro who shot and robbed Warren Brown, postmaster and merchant at Hebren, in Dinwiddie county, was captured in Philadelphia to-day, and is to be brought back on a requisi lon issued last night by Governor Swanson.

Ruffin made a small purchase at Brown's store about 10 o'clock at night, offering a five dollar bill to change, which Brown took out of the money drawer. The negro fired a pistol point blank in his face and escaped with the cash. The bullet entered the upper jaw, and Brown afterwards coughed it up and recovered. No third party was in the store at the time. Ruffin afterwards opened at cook shop at Pinner's Point, and then went to shop at Pinner's Point, and then went to

ing Ruffin.

The Young Men's Christian Association
Hall was sold to-day to Joseph W. Seward for \$35,00. The association expects
to build them another hall, sultable for
their work, at an early date.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

Fell From Wagon of Logs, Fracturing His Skull.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
HARRISONBURG, VA., February 10.—
James F. Hoover lies in a dying condition at his home on Fulk's Run as a result of a fall from the top of a wagonload of logs. He fell a distance of fifteen or twenty feet. His head was split open, the scalp being terribly torn by a sharp plece of timber with which he came in contact in the fall. His skull was fractured and concussion of the brain is feared.

feared.

Mr. Hoover was alone when the accident occurred. He was discovered a few minutes afterwards, lying unconscious in a pool of blood. He was removed to his home, a distance of seven miles from the scene of the accident, before a physician could reach him.

Mr. Hoover is about 50 years of age and is one of the best known lumbertnen in the county. He has never regained consciousness since the accident.

CANDIDATES OUT.

Several Not Opposed to Becoming Judge of Proposed Circuit.

Judge of Proposed Circuit.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEESBURG, VA., February 19.—The proposed division of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit by making a new circuit, composed of the counties of Loudpun, Fauquier and Rappahannock, under the name of the Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit, has brought out several candidates for the judgeship for the new circuit. Among the applicants are Judge R. H. Tebbs, of Leesburg, and Mr. E. S. Turner, an attorney of Warrenton.

Funeral of Captain Hoy.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., February 10.—The funeral of Captain P. C. Hoy took place this afternoon from St. Paul's Episcopal Church, of which he was a vestryman, Captain Hoy was one of the organizers of A. P. Hill Camp, which attended his funeral in a body.

Use Nazarene Tongue. Rev. Dr. Joseph K. Yezhek will preach in St. Patrick's Church this morning Having spent his childhood in the Holy Land, he will use its language in his

SOLD GOLD BRICK

Engineer Testifies That Mattresses Sunk By Defendants No More Than Brush Heaps.

(By Associated Press.) SAVANNAH, GA., February 10 .that were thrown on them the stones went right on through them; and that le was

a very large percentage of the mattress was floating away."

Major Gillette said that the eight courses of mattresses might have made

"Do you mean, Major, to say that the government paid for eight mattresses, where there was only one?" asked the

\$1,600 for something it could have secure

tive to the acceptance of Greene

Carter, the latter recommended logs and brush for use in the jetty work.

SMALLPOX SITUATION.

The Thirty Cases at South Hill Have Practically Recovered.

Have Practically Recovered.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.).

SOUTH HILL, VA., February 10.—One by one the dreaded flags have been moved from the homes of the unfortunate victims housed in for the past three weeks by the small-pox quarantine. Those who have had the disease are all out, with one exception, and that one is now rapidly recovering. It is considered remarkable that out of thirty cuses of small-pox not a single death has occurred. Under the stimulus of such good fortune the spirit of the discouraged people has revived and business is progressing as heretofore.

HORSE BACKS BUGGY OFF RIVER BRIDGE

Occupants Thrown Into Swollen Stream and Are Very Nearly

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) SOUTH HILL. VA., February 10 .-

While crossing the bridge over Meherrin River at Whittle's Mill yesterday after-

River at Whittle's Mill yesterday afternoon, the horse driven by Mr. Samuel
Bugg and his cousin, Mr. John Jugg, became frightened and backed the vehicle
off the bridge.

The occupants were thrown into the
water, and reached the bank after many
difficulties. Mr. Samuel Bugg was badly
scarred by being kicked by the horse
while swimming away. The horse and
Juggy were swept down by the curent,
which was very strong on account of high
water. The horse was a fine animal,
owned by Mr. Bugg's sister.

Ouite Sick at Hospital,

Miss Ethel Bagby, who has been quite il at the Virginia Hospital, is improving, but still quite sick.

PILGRIMAGE, ACCA TEMPLE, PERSONALLY CONDUCTED, TO LOS ANGELES AND PACIFIC COAST.

Acca Temple, Mystic Shriners, are arranging for a special pilgrimage to the Pacific Coast, in connection with the meeting of the Imperial Council, Mystic Shrine, at Los Angeles, Cal., May 8th.

Special train, personally conducted, with through Pullman sleepers, is proposed, stops to be made at Denver. Salt Laka stops to be made at Denver, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, San Francisco and other attractive points of interest in the

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Very Impotant Opinion Handed Down Concerning Accident Insurance Co.'s Liability.

LYNCHBURG CASE TO-MORROW

Cyrus Blankenship vs. Henry C. King is Only Case On Call.

Court of Appeals were in conference session all of yesterday, conferring with week. There was no open court during the day. The court made and entered decrees and judgments in all the cases in which opinious have so far been announced.

The judges of the United States Circuit

row is numbered on the docket 611, and is styled Cyrus Biankensin, et al. plaintiffs in error, vs. Henry C. King, defendant in error; in error to the Circuit
Court at Lynchburg, Va. To be argued
by Major R. R. Henry, of Tazewell, Va.,
and Judge E. M. Fulton, of Wise Courthouse, Va., for the plaintiffs in error,
and by Maynard F. Silles, of Charleston,
W. Va., for the defendant in error.

Interesting Opinion. Interesting Opinion.

A very important opinion has recently been handed down by this court relating to the law bearing on accident policies. The opinion was prepared by Judge Pritchard. The case is entitled The Fidelity and Casualty Company, of New York, plaintiff in error, vs. executors of Frederick G. Stacey, deceased. The policy held by the deceased provided for the liability of the plaintiff in error for the death of the insured, provided that such death resulted "directly or independently of all other causes, from bodily injuries sustained through external, violent and accidental means."

Judge Pritchard, speaking for the

first with his right hand and then with his left the last blow landing in Porter's mouth, coming in contact with one of his teeth, thereby causing a slight abrasion of the skin of one of the fingers of the insured, and subsequently thereto the finger became infected, which resulted in blood poison, and from the effect of which he dies in about twenty days thereafter.

"It thus appears that the insures, at a time when he was in full possession of his mental faculties, accosted Porter and manded to that court, with instructions to set aside the verdict and award a new trial, and to proceed thereafter in con-formity with the views herein expressed.

THE FOURTEENTH YEAR.

Randolph-Street Baptist Church to Have Celebration To-day.

The fourteenth anniversary of the founding of Randolph Street Baptist Church will be celebrated to-day.

The church was organized by a small body of members of the Pine Street The church was organized by a small hody of members of the Pine Street Church, who first established a Sunday school in the building in what is called Bloodfield. The school grew rapidly, and in a few years a sufficient amount had been raised to erect the present church at Randolph and Beverly Streets. The first pastor was Rev. W. T. Jolly, who came here from Kentucky. He died after a successful ministry of four years.

The present pastor is Rev. W. E. Robertson, during whose pastorate of two years the church has added many members and has been put on a sound financial basis. At the beginning of the new year his salary was increased \$100.

The exectses to-day will be very interesting. A special musical programme will be rendered by the choir, and several addresses will be made.

At night the pastor will begin a series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer, his subject being "The Fatherhood of God."

A WEEK'S WORK

Labors Scheduled for the Hard Worked City Council.

The following are the meetings scheduled for the present weel, for city coun-

limen: Monday at 6 P. M. the health investi gation special committee will meet, and at 8 P. M. the joint sub-committee from the Police and Health Committees will

meet.
Tuesday at 8 P. M. the Board of Aldermen will hold their regular monthly meeting, at which time the Mayor's message verting the tax ordinance will be considered, and also the Mayor's message concerning the appointment of an assistant city attorney.

Wednesday at 8 P. M. the Water Committee will meet.
Thursday there will be three committee meetings—Streets at 5 P. M., and Light, and Grounds and Buildings at 8 P. M.
Friday night at 8 o'clock the Committee on Ordinances, Charter and Reform

ee on Ordinances, Charter and Reform will hold a meeting. Painters to Leave To-day.

Mr. R. Lee Peters, president of the international Association of Master Paint International Association of Master Falmiers and Decorators, will leave with a party to-day to affond the meeting at Birmingham, Ala. The meeting begins this week. Those who will go are Messrs, A. D. Wharton, Harry Huber, A. W. Harton, Frank Shoda Charles Shomaker. "Spangles" terminated last night.

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MANAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAYAY

August Hetzer, R. E. Horner, of the Felton-Smithy Company, of Philadelphia, an associate member of the association.

RETAIL MERCHANTS' **ASSOCIATION**

Resolutions adopted January 11, 1995, which are binding on all members of the association are;
"Resolved, That no member of this association shall be allowed to sign any paper or agreement being circulated for signatures, affecting the retail trade in general, until same has been submitted to and received the endorsement of the Board of Directors of the Retail Merchants' Association of Richmond," Va.
"Resolved, That no member of this approach and advertise on or in any-

the exception of the regular newspapers, street cars, biliboards, theatre pro-grammes, theatre curtains, hotel regis-ters and the Richmond City and State Directories."

Fraternity Dance.

Pai Kappa Alpha Fraternity and College gave a most enjoys

Fairmount Hall Threatened. Fire starting in the store of J. Hudgins, which occupies the basement terday morning, the state of the building. Clerks and neighbors came to the rescue and managed to extinguish the flames before any serious dam-

age was done.

The fire was started by the ignition of some loose paper from a gasoline lamp. The damage done was to the dry goods, shoes and notions displayed in the show window. The plate glass was broken, and the woodwork burned. The place is insured in the Hamburg Fire Insurance Company at \$1,000. Miss Alice Kirsch is manager of the store.

Unitarian Dedication.

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The new chapel of the Unitarian Church. Floyd Avenue and Harison Street, will be formally opened this morning at 11 o'clock. The members of the church formerly worshipped in Monroe Hall, but, as the congregation increased, it was found necessary to erect a house of worship.

The sermon to-day will be preached by the pastor. Rev. John L. Roblinson. His subject will be "The Command to Go Forward."

Sunday school services will be held at Forward."
Sunday school services will be held at 10 o'clock in the parish room,

A Delightful Dance.

A Delightful Dance.

At a delightful dance recently given at the home of Mrs. Miler in Chesterfled, guests. Included Misses Nannie and Blanche Palmer Mary Murray, of Richmond: Misses Matthewen, of Manchester; Misses, Jacob, Muble, Louise and Berdic Wood, and Pinchbeck, Mosdames George Cawley, San Markston, Alley, Jacob, Jahnke and Markston, Alley, Jacob, Jahnke and Misses, Carley, San Markston, Alley, Jacob, Jahnke and Misses.

"The Witness of Stephen."

The witness of Stephen.

The men of Richmond are cujoying some unusual treats this season. This afternoon in the Cental Y. M. C. A. Hall Rev. B. In noted preacher and pulpit orator, formerly of Columbian University of Columbian University of Stephen. Miss Pattle V. Charles of Stephen. Miss Pattle V. Bantes, centralto soloist of Grace Street Baptist Church, will sins. The service will hegin promptly at 3:30, with illustrated songs.

Mr. Wheeler Not Coming.

POSTMASTER YOST

Latter Was Appointed By Grant and Held Staunton Office for Many Years,

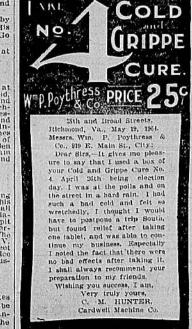
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 10,-It is understood that the nomination of

Pleasant Surprise Party.

Entertain Old Friends. Governor Swanson has issued invita-tions to the members of the Legislature from the Fifth Congressional District to attend a dinner at the Mansion next Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. The af-fair will be a sort of a "family guther-ing," and none will be in attendance save representatives from the Governor's old district.

"The Kingdom of God."

Rev. W. A. Cooper will preach at St. James Methodist Church, Twenty-ninth and Marshall Streets, this morning at 11 o'clock—subject, "Jesus' Conception of the Kingdom of God." At night Rev. W. J. Parker, of Whaleyville, Va., will preach.



Major Gillette, U. S. A., Says Large Percentage of Greene and Gaynor's Work Counterfeit. MATTRESSES FLOATED AWAY

fajor Cassius E. Gillette, United States the trial of the Greene-Gaynor case. Major Gillette said on the stand that the mattresses sunk by the defendants in Cumberland Sound were no more than bundles of brush; that they were not worth more than a tenth of the that instead of supporting the stones

"I saw one of the mattresses sunk,"
"I saw one of the mattresses sunk,"
said the witness, "a great quanity of dry
leaves floated away. It struck me that

Gillette.

E. R. Conant, of Brunswick, Ga., inspector under Carter, said that in contracts for Cumberland Sound log mattresses were not put in, but brush mattresses, much cheaper than the logs, were

used.

A letter from Carter to Colonel Craig-hill was read. In this Carter stated that he disapproved the use of log and brush near Fernandina, Florida.

Major Gillette explained that the Te-redo is extremely plentful in Fernandina waters and exceedingly destructive to wood. The government's contention is that, despite this knowledge and view of Carter, the latter recommended loss and